The Several "Dewey Day" Committees Have Their Work Well in Hand and All is

## READY FOR ADMIRAL DEWEY

And the Other Distinguished Visitors Who Will Honor Wheeling by Their Presence.

The hours of preparation for the greatest day in Wheeling's history-"Dewey Day"-are all but at their end and to-morrow comes the climax. Yesterday was a scene of the greatest activity in all parts of the city; on every side preparations for elaborate decorations were in progress, and it is evident that the city is to be in gala attire to-morrow.

Last night, at a meeting of the committee on arangements, much was accomplished, including the appointment of the numerous committee on recep tion, made up of the following ladies and gentlemen:

Committee on Reception. Committee of Messra:
Alex. Updesraff, G. L. Crammer, C. W. Brackunier, John Frew.
Louis Colmar, Jr., H. P. McGregor, Clark Hamilton, Jr., J. P. Maxwell, J. F. Arnew.
E. W. Alexander, E. L. Arnbereht, Seaton Alexander, G. A. Asohmann, Cyrus P. Flick, H. B. Bagnley, Reed M. Baird, H. F. Behrens, H. M. Rhissell, Dr. D. B. Best, S. S. Rloch, J. V. Braden, W. S. Brady, Robt. M. Browne, Allan Brock, John M. Brown, W. H. Caldwell, John A. Campbell, John A. Campbell, John A. Campbell, J. M. Carp. A lastt,
Ambrose S. List,
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John M. Birch,
F. C. Caldwell,
F. C. Chieberst,
Myron Hubbard,
F. C. Schwertfoger,
James Neill,
S. W. Harper,
Henjamin Snyder,
John S. Naylor,
Jos. S. Gibbs,
W. B. Hicks,
W. B. Hicks,
W. J. M. List,
M. Jeffer, Ott,
W. A. Wilson, w. H. Hicks,
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W. A. Wilson,
M. Gutman,
C. A. House,
John Wagner,
J. L. Stifel,
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J. J. Green,
George M. Snook,
Albert Willies,
Albert Schenk,
W. Welty,
Samuel Welty,
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G. Ed. Medical,
Harry Stallran,
W. E. Stone,
Christian Hess,
Adam Hess,
A W. H. Caldwell,
John A. Campbell
T. M. Carr,
D. J. McKee,
A. J. Clarke,
John J. Coniff.,
Charles Copp.
James Cummins,
R. C. Daizell,
O. C. Dewey,
W. B. McDonald,
T. B. McLain,
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N. B. Scott
W. M. Dunle, M. Loonard Eskey,
E. C. Ewing.
J. W. Franchelm,
J. S. Gibbs.
J. W. Frawcett.
C. W. Franchelm,
J. S. Gibbs.
James K. Hall,
A. S. Hare.
Wm. H. Hearne;
E. A. Hilderth.
Hullihen Quarrier,
Andrew Sweeney,
H. C. Gyden.
C. Ogden.
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John Waterhouse,
Robert White.
L. E. Sands.
Jacob Britingham
L. L. Bowle,
Robert Nesbitt,
Bernard Horkhelm
H. S. Sands,
C. R. Hubbard,
Morria Horkhelm
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H. S. Sands,
C. R. Hubbard,
H. H. Woodruft,
A. B. Smith,
George E. Stifel,
W. P. Heiskell,
J. D. Culbertson,
Thayer Melvin,
H. K. List,
George E. Stifel,
W. P. Heiskell,
Bariley Cooper,
Guy A. Wanner,
B. F. Caldwell,
J. H. Devore,
N. E. Whitaker,
C. H. Simpson,
W. H. Travis,
J. A. Miller,
George Hook,
J. A. Jefferson,
B. W. Peterson,
F. Riester,
W. H. Hicks,
J. M. Taney,
W. J. W. Cowden,
W. W. Arnett,
Alfred Caldwell,
Augustus Pollack Charles Schmidt.
James Cummins,
D. K. McMechen,
H. Bleberson,
Henry Baer,
W. A. List,
E. Bachman,
H. Frank,
Ed Wagner,
S. M. Rice,
Adam Blum,
W. H. Chauman,
Prank McCoy,
Henry Speyer. Heury Speyer.
Charles H. Berry,
Kennedy Priend,
Geo A. Stamm,
Percy Norton,
W. R. White,
Henry W. Ets,
Williar Hare,
L. Bayha,
John M. Dauer,
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John M. Dauer,
John S. Welty,
E. B. Potts,
Joseph Courlian,
Wm. H. Johnson,
George Johns,
M. L. Colvin,
Alex, Mitchell,
J. B. Schreffer,
Jacob Wilhelm,
Alex, Mitchell,
J. B. Schreffer,
Arbur G. Hubbard,
F. W. Baumer,
G. W. Lutz,
George Wise,
Nelson Ceell,
J. B. Garden,
Nelli Quinn,
J. T. Goodwin,
Chas. H. Watkins,
G. S. Feeney,
W. A. Ellis,
Galla Mitchell,
Charles Rachman,
Geo. A. Wiekham,
J. N. Dowler,
E. C. Flaccus,
C. E. Vankeuren,
G. O. Smith,
W. M. Simpson,
Lee Baerling,
John Zaritis,
John W. Herbert,
John Bodley,
O. T. Rhodes,
W. A. Heine,
Louis Bertschy,
Lee Sonneborn,
J. Gundling,
L. E. Sonneborn,
D. Gundling,
L. E. Sonneborn,
D. Gundling, L. A. Seinler,
E. B. Fransheim,
Lewis Steenrod,
C. R. Tracy,
Charles E. Masson,
F. P. McNell,
C. C. Mos. O Brier,
C. L. Hose, O Brier,
C. L. E. Sonneborn,
J. E. Hughes,
J. Henry Sonneborn,
J. E. Hughes,
J. C. Hughes,

Mesdames:—
C. W. Brockunler,
J. W. Grubb,
George Wint,
W. N. Tiernan,
Hullihen Quarrier,
C. W. Franzheim,
George E. Stiffel,
Joseph Speldel,
Joseph Speldel,
John Waterhouse,
G. L. Cranmer,
G. H. Cranmer,
G. G. Caldwell,
Delia Carr,
Gasras Purks, Joseph S. Gibbs,
W. R. Hicks.
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M. Jeffers,
Morgan L. Ott,
W. P. Heiskell,
M. Gutman,
C. A. House,
Augustus Pollack,
L. E. Sands,
John Wagner,
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George M. Snook,
Albert Wilkle,
P. J. Green,
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W. P. Hubbard,
F. W. Bewers,
G. Ed. Mendel,
Harry Stallman,
N. B., Seott.
B. W. Peterson,
Christian Hess,
H. K. Liet,
John G. Hoffmann,
J. S. Blockson,
Joseph Seybold,
N. E. Whitaker,
Anton Reymann,
Charles Schmidt,
J. D. Culbertson,
James Cummins,
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H. Hielberson, S. S. Hloch,
Morris Horkhelmer,
John Frew,
J. J. Jones,
R. K. Gliffin,
Cedil A. Robinson,
J. L. Sawtell,
James H. Taney,
Robert White,
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Thomas Carr,
H. C. Ogden,
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J. C. Hupp,
E. C. Ewing,
J. C. Hupp,
F. J. Hupp,
J. C. W. Frissell,
R. J. Reed,
J. Reed,
J. Reed,
J. Reed,
J. Reed,
J. Harlett,
M. Daiseil,
Kent Hoyd,
F. H. Stamm,
W. A. Wilson,
W. M. Schwertfeger,
Albert Whitaker,
Julius Follock,
M. A. Chow,
Z. Robertson,
M. Sconseborn,
George Adams,
Robertson,
George Adams,
Robert,
R. H. Littell,
J. J. Conff.
Charles E. Mason,
James K. Hall,
Price Whitaker,
N. R. Scott,
R. B. Dovener,
E. B. Bowie,
Allan Brock,
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B. K. McMechen,
H. Hicherson,
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H. Henry Heer,
E. Ruckman,
H. Frank,
Ed. Wanner,
Adam Hum,
E. B. Carney,
William Hare,
L. J. Bayha,
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J. T. Hodes,
H. H. Hander,
J. M. Gundling,
W. H. Prank,
William Luiz,
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T. A. Little,
Charles Bachman,
J. N. Dowler,
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C. E. C. Pincous,
C. E. Vankeuren,
G. O. Smith,

TWO REMARKABLE CURES

Of Two Prominent and Well Known People. A Catarrh Cure That Cures.

Miss Dade Stegeman, superintendent

of the Chicago North Side Woman's Club, of Chicago, in a recent letter to Dr. Hartman speaks of Pe-ru-na as follows: OHICAGO, Jan. 28, 1899. Pe-ra-na Drug M'f'g Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen—Peru na has often been used by the members of our club in cases of stomach trouble and general debility-also re cently in cases of la grippe, and always with the most beneficiary results. I think a great deal of

Peru-na-often rec-ommend it to my Dade Stegeman. friends, and am glad to say all who have tried it speak a good

word for it. Dade Stegeman.

Pe-ru-na has become to be so universally recognized as a specific cure for catarrh, scute or chronic, coughs, colds bronchitis, that it is amazing that any one should continue to suffer on with such a terrible malady, neglecting to take a course of treatment with it. Of course it may be that some people have not yet come to know of this great catarrh remedy, but it is strange that it should be so after such multitudes have been cured by it and so many papers have heralded it from one end of the country to the other. But the news travels faster and faster every month, and no one can fall to see that the time is not far distant when Pe-ru-na will be known in every household in the land. man, Columbus, Ohio.



General S. S. Yoder, ex-Member of Congress from Ohio, in a recent letter to Dr. Hartman, speaks of Pe-ru-na as fol-

Pe-ru-na Drug Mfg Co., Columbus, O.; Gentlemen—I desire to say that I have found Pe-ru-na to be a wonderful remedy. I only used it for a short time and am thoroughly satisfied as to its merits. I cannos find words to express my grati-fication for the results obtained. As a catarrh cure I shall gladly recommend

Pe-ru-na not only cures catarrh, but prevents it. Every household should be supplied with this great remedy for coughs, colds and so forth. A free book on catarrhal diseases sent by Dr. Harb-

Bernard Horkheimer W. M. Simpson, F. G. Caldwell, J. N. Vance. Clarke Hamilton, jr., Beal, Snyder, F. C. Driehorst, John B. Naylor, Myron Hubbard, F. H. Lange, F. C. Schwertfeger, Etta Harper, James Nelli.

Misses:

James

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Gilth Carr.

Todd Baird,

Bessle McLain,

Mary Brockunier,

Mary Dickey,

Martha J. Hare,

Lillie Vance,

Flora Stifel,

Sophia Carr,

Ella McClure,

Mary McDonald,

Elsie Gundling,

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Harriett Daisell,

Lydia Good,

Mary Caldwell

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Lydia Good,
Janie Good,
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Mary Good,
Janie Medel,
Etta Harper,
Joa Updegraff.

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The Dewey Carriage—Admiral Dewey,
T. M. Garvin and Governor Atkinson.
Doddridge Carriage—Lieutenant Doddridge, Mayor Sweeney, C. W. Brockunier and John Waterhouse.

The first five carriages will contain
the governor's staff.
Sixth—Two congressmen, Joseph Speidel and Randolph Stainaker.
Seventh—Two: congressmen, George
Wise and B. F. Caldwell.
Eighth — Two congressmen, N. E.
Whitaker and Russell Hubbard.
Ninth — Two congressmen, John D.
Culbertson and John G. Hoffman.
Tenth—Two congressmen, Howard
Haslett and J. C. Brady.
Eleventh—Two congressmen, Alexander Updegraff and Fred Parks.
Twelfth—Two congressmen, H. C.
Richards and George E. Stifel.
Thirteenth—Two congressmen, Thos.
O'Brien and Ceoli A. Robinson.
Fourteenth—Two Congressmen, Thos.
O'Brien and Ceoli A. Robinson.
Fourteenth—Two Congressmen, L.
E. Sands, Bishop P. J. Donahue and Dr.
Cunningham.
Fitteenth—Dr. Reed M. Baird, O. C.

Cunningham'.
Fifteenth—Dr. Roed M. Baird, O. C. Dewey, John Frew and Charles Taney, Sixteenth—H. C. Ogden, R. M. Archer, T. C. Burke and Louis Colmar, jr. Seventeenth—Harry V. Arkle, Albert Schenk, August Wiedebusch and J. L. Bauer.

Bauer.
Eighteenth—Dr. E. W. Alexander,
Frank D. Hall Clarke Hamilton, ir.,
and Augustus Pollack.
Nineteenth — Judge Melvin, Judge
Hervey and Judge Hugus.
Twentieth to twenty-second, inclusive
—Members of board of county commisstoners.

Twenty-third to thirtieth, inclusive-Members of council.

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Thirty-first—Gas board and clerk.
Thirty-second — Water board and

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clerk.

Thirty-third to thirty-fifth, inclusive

Board of education.

Thirty-sixth—City solleitor, city receiver, city engineer and clerk of first
branch of council.

Thirty-seventh—County cierk, clerk
of circuit court, clerk of board of public
works and cleri; of police court.

Secretary Wingerter, of the commit-tee, spent a busy evening, assisted by several clerks, in sending out tickets for admission to the stands on Chap-

line street. To-day the final arrangements for the big celebration will be completed. The first event of the morning will be the arrival of Congressman Dovener's party of some thirty congressmen, many accompanied by their wives and fami lies. In the evening at 10:39 o'clock, Admiral Dewey, Lleutenant Doddridge and others will arrive on a special train from Washington, as datalled in an-other column. The train will be stopped at Ford's crossing, at Thirty-third and Eoff streets, South Side. Here the admiral and party will alight and enter carriages, and, escorted by the organi sations named in Marshal Mathison's orders printed elsewhere, will proceup town to the McLure. At the hotel after a short stay in the pariors, the visitors will retire for the night, to recuperate for the doings of the "Big Day."

Salute of Seventeen Guns.

On Thursday morning, beginning at 8 o'clock, a squad of Linsly Institute Cadets, under command of Lieutenant Dent, will fire the admiral's salute of seventeen guns from the top of Wheel-ing hill. At the first shot the flag at the city building will be raised by the Cadets. Lieutenant Dent has informed the committee that this is the proper to fire the salute, according naval regulations. When a distin guished officer of the navy arrives after 6 p. m., the salute is not fired the same evening, but takes place prompt ly "at colors" (8 o'clock) the next morn

Factories Will Close.

The mayor's proclamation will be ob-served by many South Side Industrial plants to-morrow. The LaBelle tin The LaBelle tin plant will be off for the day, and the

will participate in the parade, to as-semble at the city building at 12:30 o'clock p. m., Thursday, to take the carriages that will be in waiting, as provided by the general committee.

William Jennings Bryan. Quite a commotion was stirred up at the McLure last night when the following telegram was received: PITTSBURGH, Feb. 20.

The McLury, Wheeling: Save me two rooms for Wednesda and Thursday nights. W. J. BRYAN.

and Thursday nights. W. J. BRYAN.

At first it was thought this was from
William Jennings Bryan, of free silver
fame, but it was soon learned that this
could not be, as Mr. Bryan was in Florida Monday night, and was billed to
speak in a Florida, town last night. The
telegram was genuine, but was probably the work of a Pittsburgh was.

Black Prince to Meet.

Black Prince Lodge No. 19, Knights of Pythias, will meet at their castle, South Side, on Thursday at 12 o'clock, sharp, to participate in the "Dewey Day" parade. It is believed that nearly the entire membership of this, the banner Pythian lodge of the state, will be out

Street Car Arrangements.

General Manager Kerker, of the Wheeling Railway Company, announces special service for "Dewey Day." Owing to the single track below Forty-third street, a short line service will be had between Tenth and Forty-third. In all forty-seven cars will be in service, fifteen more than usual, and if the weather is fair several open cars will be out, including the "Dewey" car at night. During the busiest hours of the day the Bellaire and Martin's Ferry cars will turn at the steel bridge corner, not going over the business district loop.

Minstrel Band to Be in It. Last night John W. Vogel, manager of Vogel & Deming's minatrels, offered his band for service in the Pythian division of the Dewey escort to-night, and his generous offer is said to have been

Fifty Extra Officers.

Chief Clemans last night had sworr in fifty special officers to do duty until after the "Dewey Day" festivities close

TO-NIGHT'S ESCORT

In Honor of the Admiral-Chief Warshal Mathison's Orders.

Chief Marshal Mathison last night issued his orders for the escort of honor to Admiral Dewey this evening. They are as follows:

The escort of honor to Admiral Dewey will kindly observe the following or

will kindly observe the following orders:—
The commanding officer's staff will assemble at the McLurr House at 9 p. m., mounted. In honor of our distinguished guest and in recognition of his calling, the members of the staff will wear the regulation naval officer's fatigue sult, to-wit Dark mavy blue cap with white band, officer's blouse and white duck trousers. In addition they will wear buff gauntlets and leggins.
The following gentlemen will constitute the staff: John K. List, Louis Steenrod, E. B. Carney, J. L. Sawtell, Dr. W. A. Cracraft, George R. E. Glichrist, Dwight L. Wagner, J. A. Blum, B. K. McMechen, Dr. L. N. Reefer, W. W. Irwin, Dr. Robert J. Reed Dr. John J. Carroll, O. T. Rhodes, William Schwertfeger, Andrew McGinley, John McKelvey, E. W. Warwick, J. T. Partfide, E. B. Franzhem, W. W. Wall, C. F. Heyman, Peebles Tatum, Guy, R. C. Allen, S. H. Brockunler, Dr. Oscar Burdatts, F. M. Church.
All organizations will report at the McLure House in time to move at 9:30 o'clock.
The column will form and move

o clock.

The column will form and move promptly at the above hour in the following order:

iowing order:

Platoon of police.
Chief Marshal and Staff.
Mayer's Band.
Linsly Institute Detail, Lieut. B. C. Dent
Commanding.
Doddridge Cadets, of Union School—
Companies 1, 2 and 3.
Cathedral High School Cadets.
Knights of St. John, Commandery 318,
Capt. Joseph A. Weitzel.
Kmights of St. John, Commandery 44,
Capt. A. G. Hadlich.
Uniformed Rank, Knights of Pythias.
General James H. Lawcaster and Staff.
Major James H. Lawcaster and Staff.
Meister's Hand.
Couer de Leon, Capt. R. H. Shaffer.

Major James T. Motee and Staff.

Meiater's Band.
Couer de Leon, Capt. R. H. Shaffer.
Barmard Shanley, F. B. Lisby captain.
James T. McGee, George W. Weisgerber Captain.
Battery "A," Captain G. W. Reed.
Company A, First West Virginia InInfantry, National Guard. Captain John P. Glass.
Company D, Second West Virginia Infantry, Captain R. H. D. Willis.
Company G, Fourth United States Volunteer Immunes, Captain A. A.
Frankheim.
The column will move south on Mar-

plant will be off for the day, and the Wheeling pottery will close down, with the execption of the packers.

The City Officials.

A call was issued yesterday for members of council and city officials who bers of council and city officials who is the council and city officials.

paries will form a hollow square about their carriages. The position of the esport when the Admiral is disembarking from the train, as well as its position when he enters the McLure House, will be explained to the company officers herfore the column moves.

The commandant of the Linsty Institute Cadets will detail a squad of twenty men to occupy a position on either side of the Twelfth street entrance to the McLure House, on the Admiral's arrival, and Capt. A. A Frankelin will detail ten men for duty inside the hotel. None but parties holding lickets will be permitted to puss the sentice.

If the weather is unfavorable the Admiral will disembark at Twenty-fourth street. This change will not be made unless absolutely necessary.

GEORGE J. MATHISON.

Chief Marscal.

CHARLESTON,

PARKERSBURG AND WHEELING

(Continued from First Page.) he effort to land the nominating convention for their city.

Among the visitors is Gubernatorial Aspirant A. B. White; of Perkersburg, who is the secretary of the committee. Owing to his candidacy it is said he will not vote on the conventions, but will

give a proxy.

District Attorney Joseph H. Galues of Fayette county, is accompanied by Mrs. Gaines, and they will remain over for "Dewey Day," as will most of the other politicians.

Other Parkersburgers her locks Colonel S. B. Baker, business manage of the Parkersburg Journal, and a for-mer prominent officer of the West Vir-ginia National Guard; A. N. Harnish, a member of the legislature; Major Charles D. Elliott, late of the Second West Virginia Volunteers, formurly of Braxton, now a resident of the Park City; Frank S. Smith, a well known business man; Dr. W. W. Monroe, Thos. F. Barrett, Colonel Charles T. Caldwell, the "Bill Nye" of West Virginia; ex-Sheriff J. L. Buckley, Postmaster Ed-ward McCreery, and several others.

Two Harrison county visitors are County Clerk V. L. Highland, and De-puty Sheriff S. C. Denham, of Clarksburg. The latter is one of the nearly innumerable candidates for state audi-

In the Charleston delegation Postmaster O. A. Petty, Mr. C. C. Rude-sill, Circuit Clerk Grant Hall, Mr. N. S. Burlew, Proprietor G. O. Taylor, of the Ruffner, and Isadore Schwabe, a well known merchant. From Preston county have

Messrs. Neil J. Fortney and William G. Worley, both well known leaders in a county that has always been noted for the size of its Republican majorities.

The day will be spent by the visiting politicians in sightseeing.

It has been proposed to take the com-

mittee and others out to Wheeling park, mittee and others out to wheeling park, where they can see what a magnificent convention hall Wheeling has in the Park Casino. This may be arranged this morning, if agreeable to the committee.

Other entertainment will be provided to-day.

Other politicians arriving late last night included Mr. Emmett Showalter, of Fairmont, assistant district attorney: Mr. Charles Swisher, of Fairmont, a candidate for auditor; L. W. Martin, of Morgantown; State Senator Stark L. Baker, of Beverly, whose wife will join him to-day; Congressman Romeo H. Freer, and Mr. Eugene M. Campbell, of Huntington, his principal lieutenant in the gubernatorial campaign he is waging

Another arrival was Judge Cyrus W. Hall, judge of the Kanawha criminal court, of Charleston. Judge Hall is one of the candidates for auditor.

### FREER IN THE RACE

For the Gubernatorial Nomination to the End, and Was Surprised to Hear of the Rumors in Circulation. An Early Morning Interview. Congressman Romeo H. Freer, of the

Congressman Romeo H. Freer, of the Fourth district, accompanied by his lieutenant. Mr. E. M. Campbell, of Huntington. arrived in the city at 11 o'clock last night. They remain over for "Dewey Day" to-morrow. They came from Washington, via Harrisville. where Colonel Freer was called yester-day by legal business. Immeditely upon their arrival, Colonel Freer went to the office of County Clerk Richard Robertson, at the county building, where a conference of the Ohio county Freer supporters was held, at which the rumors put in circulation here Monday to the effect that Freer would with draw, were discussed. The result of the conference was the determination that Colonel Freer would remain in the race

for governor. Colonel Freer arrived at the McLure shortly after midnight, and was interviewed by an Intelligencer reporter He sald:

"On my arrival here to-night I re ceived my first information of the publication of the rumors that I would withdraw from the race for governor, and I at once denounced the story false and that no authority for such a state ment had come from me. I have come on from Washington to begin my active canvass for the gubernatorial nomination, and I expect to continue in the race to the day of the convention, and then, if I have failed, will heartily sup-I am making this race for the inter-

## Children

Many children look too old for their years. They go about with thin faces and sober manners not in keeping with robust childhood. If it's your boy or girl, give Scotts Emulsion

'Twill fill out the hollow places, increase the weight, and bring a healthy color to the cheeks. The improvement continues long after they cease using the Emulsion. Get Scott's.

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180 Genuine Smyrna Rugs,

with fringe to match, size 30x60 inches, for

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# FOSTER & WATKINS,

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many evidences that the state is large-The statements sent out from Wash-

ington derogatory to me are of such a grossly exuggerated character that I feel indignant that such mians should be resorted to for my defeat. Whatever have been the shortcomings of the past or now are questions for the people to pass upon in a legitimate way, after all the facts are known; not from grossly exaggerated and distorted statements of others who knew nothing of the real facts in the matters refer-

"A part of my life, ending some twenty years ago has been resurrected for the purpose of my defeat, with the only result of lacerating the feelings of innocent people who are now and for years have been my warmest friends, and who recognize in me their protec-

tor and defender.
"I hope for a fair, manly contest for the nomination, and do not now blame my competitor, as I do those behind him, who are higher in power, and whom I shall hold responsible for the conditions created in the Republican

The Freer Meeting.

To-night, at the Pythian castle, South Side, a Republican mass meeting in the interest of Congressman Romeo H. Freer, one of the aspirants for the Republican nomination for governor, will be held. The Freer men are in-

Kept Busy Entertaining Callers and Attending to Business Affairs—Interested in Loan Exhibition and City Affairs. Senator N. H. Scott, who arrived in

the city a few days ago, has been kept busy entertaining callers at his rooms at the McLure, and devoting the rest of his time in pleasant visits to the Central Glass Works, where he most feels at home, and at which establishment his business activity first began in this city, and in whose fortunes he re-tains a personal as well as financial interest. He expressed his regret to a re-porter of the Intelligencer last evening, that he had not yet been able to got around to greet his many friends, but that he would endeavor to do so before leaving.

The senator's visit is merely of a so cial and business character, although he stated that he would use all his influence to impress upon the Republican state executive committee which here to-day, that Wheeling should have the honor of entertaining the state convention. Senator Scott also stated that as a citizen of Wheeling he was greatly interested in the refunding ordinance and thought that there would be no question of the adoption of such a fair advantageous and business-like proposition. He expects to vote for it Saturday, notwithstanding the fact that Colonel McGraw attempted to prove that he was not a citizen of West Virginia.

Incidentally Senator Scott, who was one of the chief promoters of the City Hospital, and who has been one of the most active directors of the institution since its inception, is taking a great interest in the Loan Exhibition that is now in progress in the Hawley build-

While the senator has about recover ed from the operation that was per-formed on him in Washington, he still shows some evidence of its critical character by a slight immeness. Otherwise the senator is in a jolly mood and enjoying the best of health.

CLAY District Republicans are here-CLAY District reproducting are nere-by called to meet Friday evening. Feb-ruary 23, at 8 p. m., at Odd Fellows' Hall, for the purpose of organizing a club and selecting delegates to attand the league convention at Parkersburg. By order of the President.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The state department has completed preparation department has completed preparation of the reply to be made to the house resolution inquiring into the allegations that ex-Consul Macrum's mail had been opened by the British censor at Cape Town. The answer will be sent to the house to-morrow by the President, as is customary with communications of this kind from the state department. In will show in brief that the department and no official knowledge that there was any interference with the ex-commit mail, as he made no complaint to the department on the subject.

"Loan" Lunch Every Day. "Loan" Lunch Every Day.

The ladies in charge of the lunch as supper at the City Hospital Loan Exhibition want every business man as woman in Wheeling to know that a most refreshing lunch is served at noon every day for 20 cents. The Scent dinner from 5 to 3 o'clock in the evening will satisfy the most exacting palate. The committee is prepared to feed all who may desire to come. Extrance on Tenth street, to dining room.

The Hygeis Ice Skating Rink

will have special music and fine ice his evening. The public is cordially invited to skate while you walt for Admiral Dewcy to arrive. The committee has decided that he will leave the Baltimors & Ohio train at Twenty-third street at THE HYGEIA ICE SKATING RINK.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A TTENTION, HIBERNIANS.
All members of Parke Division of the A. O. H. are requested to meet at their hall, corner Twelfth and Markst screets. Thursday, the 22d, at 1120 o'clock, for the purpose of participalities in the Dewey demonstration. By ender of JOHN J. BYRNE.

President

JOHN J. SHAUGHNESSY, Sec'y. MI \*OPERA HOUSE One Big Night—Tuesday, Feb. 27. Magnificent Original Production of the Famous

JACK AND THE BEANSTALK Splendid cast. Chorus of fifty. A wealth of scenery, costumes and ef-fects. New famous features and fects.

fects. New ramous 123.00 and \$1.50. Prices—50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50. Reserved seat sale opens Monday morning at the Opera House box of feel

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MILL.

The sickness of Mr. J. W. Hunter having necessitated the winding up of the affairs of the J. W. Hunter Company, of Wheeling, West. Virginia, the undersigned of the state of the s

The above sale has been postponed until Tuesday, November 28, 1829, at 2 o'clock p. m. T. M. DARRAH, Receiver.

The above sale is adjourned until Tuesday, December 19, 1898, at 2 o'clock p. m., at place above selected. T. M. DARRAH.

The above sale is adjourned until Tuesday, January 16, 1900, at same time and lace.

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The above sale is adjourned until Tuesday, March 20, 1900, at 2 o'clock A. m., and at the same place. T. M. DARRAH. felita